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3. Originally scheduled to begin production in the summer of 1948, to date less than 50 percent of the sulfite cellulose plant has been built, and the 1949 allocation of funds for this project has not yet been made. Workers have not been paid for some time, and [REDACTED], the General Direction has directed that no more credit be extended to this project. The director of the Prijedor plant, Josip Mesaric, is a soap manufacturer and laboratory technician in Zagreb. Mesaric, a former employee of the Ministry of Industry in Belgrade, is described as a Communist, veteran Partisan, about 39 years old, incompetent in his job. The chief construction engineer, Singer, 54 years old, is thought to be corruptible. Plans of the General Direction for 1949-50 call for a new sulfite cellulose plant in Doboj, rebuilding of a plant in Drvar which was destroyed during the war, new laboratories and workshops in Zagreb, and factories for the manufacture of felt, screens, and paper mill machinery. Construction of a new factory in Zagreb for the manufacture of roofing felt together with a "roto" and fine paper factory in Belgrade are scheduled for 1952. Another "roto" paper mill is to be built either at Vevce, south of Belgrade, or in Podravina. Plans for a new building to be built for the General Direction have not yet been worked out nor have funds been allocated for this project.

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